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CHARLESTON, IL--Tim Broderick is the art director of the Daily Eastern News, the student newspaper of Eastern Illinois University.

Tim, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Broderick of 5213 W. 105th Place, Oak Lawn, is a 1980 graduate of Brother Rice High School. He is a journalism major at EIU.

A junior, Tim said he picked journalism as a major because it gives him an opportunity to display his artistic talents to a wide readership.

He said his career goal is to be an editorial cartoonist and possibly a reporter, for a commercial newspaper.

Tim began his collegiate journalism career as an artist. He worked as a wire editor and copy editor before becoming art director. He established the art director position on the News. He is also the senior editorial cartoonist on the News.

As art director, Tim is in charge of all artists on the staff. He assigns artwork to be done for all aspects of the News.

He won an editorial cartoon award in 1982 and has had his work reprinted in the Chicago Defender.

Tim is a member of Eastern's chapter of Delta Sigma Phi fraternity and of the Society for Collegiate Journalists.

The Daily Eastern News has won many awards, including an All-American rating from the Associated Collegiate Press every year since 1973, and was recently chosen as one of five finalists for ACP's coveted Pacemaker Award, which recognizes the best college newspaper in the country.

The Journalism Department, which sponsors the News, recently received national accreditation from the Accrediting Council on Education in Journalism and Mass Communications for excellence in their curriculum and student activities.

Eastern became one of only 85 schools in the nation to be accredited out of approximately 300 schools which have journalism majors.